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TO AMEMBASSY PORT LOUIS

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TAGS: OVIP (WITMAN, WILLIAM)

SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT BY ACTING DEPUTY ASSISTANT  
SECRETARY WITMAN

1. ACTING DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY WITMAN WILL BE TRAVELING IN EAST AFRICA MID-JANUARY IN CONNECTION WITH ZANZIBAR INDEPENDENCE ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS. PROPOSE THAT HE VISIT PORT LOUIS JANUARY 15-17 IN ACCORDANCE WITH FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

JANUARY 15: ARRIVE PORT LOUIS 1430 ON AF-497 FROM TANANAR-IVE

JANUARY 17: DEPART PORT LOUIS 1830 ON AF-466 FOR PARIS.

2. OBJECTIVE OF VISIT WOULD BE TO CONSULT WITH CHARGE AND STAFF ON FOREIGN POLICY IMPLICATIONS OF RECENT INTERNAL POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS, ESPECIALLY DISSOLUTION OF RAMGOOLAM-DUVAL COALITION. WITMAN WOULD ALSO BE AVAILABLE TO DISCUSS ANY MATTERS YOU MAY WISH TO BRING TO HIS ATTENTION, AND WOULD BE PLEASED TO MEET WITH MAURITIAN GOVT OFFICIALS AND OTHER LEADING PERSONALITIES TO THE EXTENT YOU FEEL IT WOULD BE HELPFUL.

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3. PLEASE INFORM DEPT IF PROPOSED VISIT IS CONVENIENT. KISSINGER

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